

CHAPTER

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DEAD MOUNT DEATH PLAY

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DEATH PLAY

*I WANTED
PEACE AND
QUIET.*

*...CANNOT
MORE FOR
PEACE
AND
QUIET.*



*BUT
THOSE
BORN
WITH THE
"EVL
EYE" THAT
ENABLES
THEM TO
SEE THE
DEAD...*

*IT WAS A
LONG TIME
BEFORE THE
KINGDOM
CRUMBLEO*

*AND IN
THAT
TIME...*



*...AND I
TRAVELED
FROM ONE
BATTLE-
FIELD TO THE NEXT
AS A
NECRO-
MANCER.*

*MY
PARENTS
SOLD ME
TO THE
SORCERERS
OF THE
ROYAL
PALACE...*





I JUST
WANTED
TO LIVE
A QUIET
LIFE.

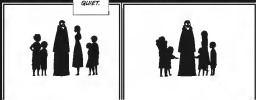


...I
NEVER
EVEN
REALIZED
I WAS
TURNING
INTO THE
UNDREAD
MYSELF.



I
WANTED
PEACE
AND
QUIET.







THEY'VE BEEN
CORRUPTED.





**GRANT
SALVATION
TO THE THE
CORRUPTED
CHILDREN.**



**THE MORE I
WANTED IT,
THE FARTHER
AWAY IT GOT.**





WE'RE
SORRY.

PLEASE
GRANT
US
SALVA-
TION.



WE'RE
SORRY.

PLEASE
GRANT
US
SALVA-
TION.



WE BEG
OF YOU/
GRANT OUR
PITIFUL
SOULS
SALVATION
AND
KILL US...!



WE
ARE
SORRY

I TOOK MY
REVENGE
THERE...

WE
ARE
SORRY

WE
ARE
SORRY

...AND
FOR A
HUNDRED
YEARS
AFTER.



THEIR
SCREAMS AND
MY DARK MAGIC
MUST HAVE
ACTED LIKE A
BEACON...



...BECAUSE
BEFORE I
KNEW IT, THE
ABANDONED
COUL HAVE
I FOUND
MYSELF
HOLE UP IN
HAD BECOME
A LABYRINTH
OF WRITHING
UNDEAD.



...FOR
SOMEONE
WHO COULD
KILL ME TO
ARRIVE...

...AS I
WAS NO
LONGER
CAPABLE
OF
SLICK.

AND SO
I WAITED
DECADES...
CENTURIES

EVEN
SO, I
STILL
GRAVED
PEACE
AND
QUIET.



...I
SUCCEEDED
IN THE
SECRET ART
OF REINCAR-
NATION.

AND
THEN...



THAT'S
WAY...



...THERE'S
NO WAY I'M
GOING TO DIE
HERE, LEFT
COMPLETELY IN
THE DARK.



WELL,
FIRST
THING'S
FIRST.
I MUST
ENSURE
MY
SAFETY.

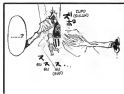


I TARGETED
THE CORPSE
OF A FALLEN
KODOMIN. I
SHOULD HAVE
BEEN REBORN
AS HIM.



HOW
MANY
YEARS DID
IT TAKE
FOR THE
REINCAR-
NATION
TO WORK?

ANYWAY,
WHAT
CONTENT IS
THAT?





SH...
SHE'S
DEAD!?



WOULDN'T SHE HAVE
ANY RESTOR-
ATIVE
GLASSES
ON HER?

IT'S POSSIBLE
THAT THE
RESTORATIVE
GLASSES
WILL REST

3"ん 3"ん

I ONLY STAYED
ALIVE
THROUGH
THE BELLY
ONCE!

BUT
THAT
WAS
TOO
EASY!



IF SHE'S
DEAD, I WON'T
BE ABLE TO
PROVE I WAS
DEFENDING
MYSELF
AGAINST AN
ASSASSIN.

THIS
IS
BAD



THE
ASSASSIN
SQUADS IN
MY (LONG
GONE)
COUNTRY
COULD TAKE
TWENTY
ROUNDS...





ASHLEY



ASHLEY

IT'S
GOOD TO
SMILE.

ASHLEY
YOU'RE SO
ADORABLE.

I JUST
KNOW YOUR
SMILE WILL
BRING PEOPLE
HAPPINESS...

AND
ALWAYS
SAILING.



...AND
I HOPE
YOU FIND
HAPPINESS
WITH
THEM.

ALL...

...
ZA...
KI...





FROM
WHAT I'VE
SEEN,
YOU SEEM
TO REALLY
ENJOY
KILLING.



HOW
ABOUT
NOW?

ARE YOU
HAPPY
BEING
KILLED BY
ME?



...SO I
HAVE TO
GET RID
OF YOU!

SHE SAID
YOU'VE BEEN
KILLING
TOO MANY
INNOCENTS
LATELY...



YOU'RE
...



DO I
LOOK
...

...AS
HAPPY
AS YOU
DID BACK
THEN?



YOU
HYPO-
CRITE!



PICKING
OUT
ASSASSINS
AND
GANGSTERS
TO KILL...

...SO
YOU CAN
THINK OF
YOURSELF
AS AN
"ALLY OF
JUSTICE"!

IS THIS
YOUR
IDEA OF
REVENGE
??



...CAN
REALLY
BE ALL
THAT
FUN.

...IF
KILLING
PEOPLE
...



THE
THING
IS.....
SEEING
YOU
MADE ME
WONDER
...

NO, NO!
IT'S
NOT LIKE
THAT!

~~~~~



THAT'S  
ALL,  
SEE?

I THOUGHT  
ME KILLING  
ASSASSINS...  
MIGHT  
BE KINDA  
FUNNY.



WHY  
WOULD CLARISSA-  
SAN WORK  
WITH A  
GIRL LIKE  
THAT...?

THEY SAY  
SEE'S A  
CRAZY BITCH  
WHO ALWAYS  
KILLS WITH  
A SMILE ON  
HER FACE.



THAT'S  
HER. THE  
ASSASSIN  
TAKO.

YEAH.  
THAT'S  
FINE.



THIS  
ISN'T AN  
ASSASSIN...  
HE'S JUST  
A KID  
SEE?



HEH? YOU  
WANT TO  
TAKE THIS  
JOB?



...JUST  
HOW  
FUCKED  
UP I CAN  
REALLY  
BE.

—I'VE  
ALREADY  
ACHIEVED  
MY LIFE'S  
GOAL.

AND I  
WANT TO  
SEE...







THE ONLY  
THING LEFT I  
HAVEN'T  
TESTED  
OUT...

...IS  
WHETHER  
I CAN KILL  
MYSELF.



...NOT ME...  
NONE OF US  
WILL EVER  
REALLY BE  
HAPPY, WILL  
WE?

NEITHER  
THE  
WICKED  
NOR THE  
GOOD.

NOT  
CLARISSE  
OR  
KUROPON.

OR  
HAGANE-  
CHAN...









Your  
job's not  
over yet.



That's  
right.



YOU  
MEAN I  
WASN'T  
ABLE  
TO KILL  
HIM?

HUH?  
HOW CAN  
THAT BE?  
WHAT'S  
GOING  
ON?



HUH?  
WHAT IS  
THIS.....?



I FEEL LIKE  
I HAD A  
CONVERSATION  
WITH KURUPON  
ABOUT THE  
SAME THING  
BEFORE.



OH  
GODD.  
YOU'RE  
AWAKE...



OH  
YEAH  
...

THIS IS  
WHAT THEY  
CALL...  
YOUR LIFE  
FLASHING  
BEFORE  
YOUR  
EYES.



AND  
ANOTHER  
THING...



...WHAT'S  
GOING  
ON HERE  
EXACTLY?



AH.





おれ  
さっさと  
いって  
くれ

WHAT'S CLARESSA  
THE INTER-  
MEDIARY  
DOING  
HERE...?



WAIT.  
DWHAT  
IT?

おれ  
さっさと  
いって  
くれ



CLARISSA?



AND  
I'M NOT  
FINDING A  
PULSE.

YEP.  
SHE'S  
COLD...

HOM...

HUH?



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